



I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to:

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

On 2-25-04

TOWNSEND and TOWNSEND and CREW LLP

By: Karen Karlin

PATENT  
Attorney Docket No.: 080309-000000US  
Client Ref. No.: P10295 DrB/la

RECEIVED  
MAR 09 2004

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

HORST LINDHOFFER et al.

Application No.: 09/094,921

Filed: June 15, 1998

For: METHOD FOR EX VIVO IMMUNIZATION  
USING HETEROLOGOUS INTACT  
BISPECIFIC AND/OR TRISPECIFIC  
ANTIBODIES

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 9008

Examiner: Holleran, Anne L.

Art Unit: 1642

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 26, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as indicated below. Applicants respectfully request the Examiner's reconsideration in light of the claim amendment and the following remarks. A petition to extend time to response for three months, from November 26, 2003, to February 26, 2004, is filed herewith. Also filed concurrently is a Declaration pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.132 by Dr. Lindhofer, the first-named inventor on this application.

HORST LINDHOFER *et al.*

PATENT

Application No.: 09/094,921; Examiner: Holleran, A.; Art Unit: 1642

Reply to Office Action of August 26, 2003

Amendment No. 6 dated February 24, 2004

---

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.